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For : FLEXURE LIFE ESTIMATING METHOD, WIRE HARNESS
DESIGNING METHOD AND PROGRAM THEREOF

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Commissioner For Patents
Alexandria, Virginia 22313

Sir:

In response to the Official Action of December 22, 2003, which set a three-month shortened statutory period to expire on March 22, 2004, Applicants submit the amendments and remarks as follows for entry in the above-identified patent application and request reconsideration of the rejections and allowance of the application, in due course:

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 2 of this paper and include an attached replacement sheet.

Remarks begin on page 3 of this paper.